



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: April 25, 2022

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Type of Offense/Incident: Shooting - Homicide

Date: April 25, 2022

Time: 3:46am

Location of Offense/Incident: 1300 Block of Vida Ct

Zone: 3

Precinct: 10

Incident Report #: 220284391

Cruiser District: 100

Victim: Sorenta Hylton

Sex: Female

Race: Black

Age: 31

Victim: L.J.

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 39

Victim: S.D.

Sex: Female

Race: Black

Age: 31

Suspect: Unknown

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Suspect:

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**Incident Summary:** On April 25, 2022, at 3:46am, Patrol Officers responded to a shooting at the 1300 Block of Vida Ct. Victim #1, Sorenta Hylton F/B/31, was struck by gunshots after unknown suspect(s) shot into the residence. Sorenta Hylton was transported to Grant Hospital by Medic #192, where she was pronounced deceased at 4:40am. Victims #2 and #3, L.J. M/B/39 and S.D. F/B/31, were parked in a vehicle on ODonnell Ct. when their vehicle was struck by gunshots, striking L.J. in the arm. L.J. self transported to Doctors West, and was then taken to Grant Hospital in stable condition, and is expected to recover from his injuries. Victim #3, S.D., was uninjured. Victims #4, #5, #6, and #7, A.D. SR M/B/33, S.H. M/B/12, S.H. F/B/7, A.D. JR. M/B/5, were in the residence sleeping when it was struck by gunfire. Victims #4, #5, #6, and #7 were uninjured by the gunfire. Investigators are still attempting to determine a motive in this incident.

This incident is still under investigation.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). This is the 36th Homicide in Columbus, Ohio in Calendar Year 2022. Incident #220284391. Detective Phalen is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Pribe.

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